



WANT MORE DUCKS? FISH? GAME? FOR BEST RESULTS, FILL OUT  
BLANK BELOW CAREFULLY, AND SEND WITH MAP OR SKETCH OF AREA  
TO:

TORRELL'S AQUATIC FARMS & NURSERIES  
"The Original Wildlife Consultants"  
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The information requested below will enable us to make proper suggestions and planting plans for your particular area and conditions, thus saving you time and money, and assuring you of the best possible results. All recommendations are based on over half a century of actual experience in all sections of the country, by three generations of the Torrell family.

When desired, we will send one of our experts to your place to examine conditions, and submit a written report, giving practical suggestions and planting plans for your consideration, and also to supervise plantings if you wish. If interested in this service, write giving location and size of place you wish to plant, area of water and marsh, and what you might like to have done. We will be glad to quote you a price on the work.

1. Your Name \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_ 19\_\_

2. Name of Property \_\_\_\_\_ 3. Acres? \_\_\_\_\_

4. In \_\_\_\_\_ County, State \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_ mi. \_\_\_\_\_ from \_\_\_\_\_  
(miles) (direction) (nearest town)

5. Owned by \_\_\_\_\_ Address \_\_\_\_\_

PURPOSE. Check what interested in. 6. Attracting more wild ducks \_\_\_\_\_ 7. Geese \_\_\_\_\_

8. Pheasants \_\_\_\_\_ 9. Quail \_\_\_\_\_ 10. Other waterfowl or upland game (kinds)? \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ 11. Muskrats \_\_\_\_\_ 12. Improving the fishing \_\_\_\_\_ 13. Make blinds \_\_\_\_\_

14. Make cover and nesting places for waterfowl \_\_\_\_\_ 15. Any other wildlife you wish

to attract, or anything else interested in? \_\_\_\_\_

16. Name plants you would like best (if suitable for your conditions, we will include them in planting plan). \_\_\_\_\_

17. How much shall we make outside limit of expense? \$ \_\_\_\_\_ (We do not want to prepare plans more elaborate than you care to use.)

GIVE THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION ABOUT EACH BODY OF WATER OR MARSH

CONDITION OF WATER AND SOIL: 18. Name of water? \_\_\_\_\_ 19. How long? \_\_\_\_\_

20. How wide? \_\_\_\_\_ 21. Greatest depth? \_\_\_\_\_ 22. Much shallow water 1 to 5 ft. deep? \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ (Show on map). 23. Source of water supply? \_\_\_\_\_

24. Fed by springs or flowing well? \_\_\_\_\_ (Indicate on map). 25. By rainfall? \_\_\_\_\_

26. By overflow from \_\_\_\_\_ Lake River in flood times? 27. By tides  
(cross out one)

from ocean? \_\_\_\_\_ 28. Does surface of water at springs freeze over in winter? \_\_\_\_\_

29. Depth of water at springs? \_\_\_\_\_ 30. Is there an outlet? \_\_\_\_\_ 31. Inlet? \_\_\_\_\_

32. Does water flow through outlet the year around? \_\_\_\_\_ 33. Through the inlet? \_\_\_\_\_

34. Rapid or slow current? \_\_\_\_\_ 35. Are waters polluted? \_\_\_\_\_ 36. Explain just what  
it is that pollutes water. \_\_\_\_\_

37. Water is \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_ ft. higher in the highest flood times than at lowest drought

times. 38. High water usually from \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_ (date) (date)

from \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_ (date) (date) 40. Ever go entirely dry? \_\_\_\_\_ When? \_\_\_\_\_

If so, was soil baked hard, dry and crumbly, or moist and muddy? \_\_\_\_\_

41. Do you expect it to go dry again? \_\_\_\_\_ 42. Is there a dam on these waters? \_\_\_\_\_

(Indicate dam on map). 43. What is the dam used for? \_\_\_\_\_

(Over please)



44. Is water likely to be raised by dam?\_\_\_\_\_ 45. Usually raised about\_\_\_\_\_ ft. from  
to\_\_\_\_\_. 46. Is water likely to be lowered?\_\_\_\_\_ 47. Usually lowered  
(date) (date)  
\_\_\_\_\_ ft. from\_\_\_\_\_ to\_\_\_\_\_. 48. Do you own or control the dam?\_\_\_\_\_  
(date) (date)  
49. Any beaver dams?\_\_\_\_\_ (Indicate on map). 50. Is temperature of water in warmest  
weather, very warm, warm, cool, or cold?\_\_\_\_\_ 51. (If known) Highest temperature  
of water\_\_\_\_\_ degrees F. 52. Ice gets about\_\_\_\_\_ thick. 53. Ice gone by \_\_\_\_\_  
(date)  
54. Is water clear or murky?\_\_\_\_\_ 55. How deep does sunlight penetrate water? (In  
other words, how far down can one see when looking from the surface?)\_\_\_\_\_  
56. What color does water appear? (Hard water usually appears blue, while acid water  
often has a brownish cast, for instance.)\_\_\_\_\_ 57. Are there any powdery white  
deposits (alkali) where water dries up?\_\_\_\_\_ 58. Are snails, shells or crawfish abun-  
dant there?\_\_\_\_\_ 59. Any limestone rocks?\_\_\_\_\_ 60. Any marl bottom?\_\_\_\_\_  
Heavy or light marl deposit?\_\_\_\_\_ 61. Is water salty to taste?\_\_\_\_\_ 62. As salty  
as ocean?\_\_\_\_\_ 63. Any tide from ocean?\_\_\_\_\_ 64. Water\_\_\_\_\_ ft. to\_\_\_\_\_ ft. higher at high  
tide than at low tide. 65. What is general nature of soil, hard or soft?\_\_\_\_\_  
66. Type of bottom (sand, mud, loam, gravel, rocky, etc.)?\_\_\_\_\_ 67. Type of water  
(hard, neutral, slightly soft, acid, etc.)?\_\_\_\_\_ **IMPORTANT:** Type of water  
is one of the prime factors in determining which plants will do best. If you do not  
know what kind of water you have, and your answer was NO to all of the questions from  
57 through 62, send for FREE chemical water test kit, or send small sample of water  
to us for FREE analysis. (When sending water sample, use clean jar or bottle and clean  
stomper. Wash bottle in same water sample is taken from so test will not be affected.)  
**PLANT LIFE:** 68. What kind of water plants grow there now (send pressed or wet samples,  
pictures or drawings if convenient, or describe)?\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_ 69. Any marsh?\_\_\_\_\_ (Indicate on map).  
70. Any swamp?\_\_\_\_\_ (Indicate on map). 71. Any trees in water?\_\_\_\_\_ 72. Any previous  
plantings?\_\_\_\_\_ 73. When made?\_\_\_\_\_ 74. Ordered by?\_\_\_\_\_  
75. What planted?\_\_\_\_\_ 76. By whom?\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_ 77. Where planting material obtained?\_\_\_\_\_  
78. Results\_\_\_\_\_ (Indicate on map where plantings were made).  
**ANIMAL LIFE:** 79. Kinds of waterfowl coming to place?\_\_\_\_\_  
80. Any quail, pheasants, or other upland game (kinds)?\_\_\_\_\_  
81. Any other game?\_\_\_\_\_ 82. Kinds of fish?\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_ 83. Any carp?\_\_\_\_\_ Scarce, common, or very numerous?\_\_\_\_\_  
84. Do livestock run to water?\_\_\_\_\_ 85. Deer very numerous?\_\_\_\_\_ 86. Which enemies of  
fish and game are found there (crows, snakes, snapping turtles, mink, wolves, house  
cats, etc.) and which, if any, are numerous?\_\_\_\_\_

SEND MAP FOR SUGGESTIONS, OR DRAW ROUGH SKETCH OF PLACE YOU WISH TO PLANT ON SEPARATE  
SHEET OF PAPER. **IMPORTANT:** On map or sketch, show---(a) protected situations such as  
bays, coves, sloughs, ponds in marsh, and open water surrounded by rush growth; (b)  
depth of water, especially areas less than 2 feet deep, and from 2 to 6 feet deep; (c)  
indicate the kind of bottom, especially where fairly soft mud or loam bottom is found,  
and where very hard sand, gravel, or rock bottom is found. Also please show swamps,  
marshes, rushes, springs, islands, inlets, outlets, dams, pastures, cultivated fields  
adjoining, woods, roads, location of any previous plantings made here, and location of  
blinds, favorite hunting spots, etc. If you want suggestions regarding more than one  
body of water, simply answer questions about each area on a separate piece of paper.  
Number answers to correspond with numbers of questions. MORE BLANKS SENT ON REQUEST.